

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: § Attorney Docket No.: Muller-41  
Rainer Gloeckler and Arnold Meyer § Art Unit No.: 1754  
U.S. Serial No.: 10/019,795 §  
U.S. Filing Date: April 2, 2002 § Confirmation No.: 7281  
For: *Method of producing aluminum* § Examiner: Steven J. Bos  
*hydroxides by precipitating aluminum* §  
*salts in the presence of seed crystals* §

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## AMENDMENT

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action of July 9, 2007, kindly amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 3 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 6 of this paper.